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Attorney's Docket No. SONY-T0349

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## **UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

( under 37 CFR 1.53(b) )

SIR:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SUPPLYING INFORMATION, AND STORAGE MEDIUM ON WHICH AN INFORMATION SUPPLYING PROGRAM IS STORED

# JC586 U.S. PTO 09/537074

### **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10**

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date <u>March 28, 2000</u>, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EL387309286US</u> addressed to: Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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Enc	losed	d are:				
1.	<u>x</u>	Transmittal Form (two copies required)				
2.	The i. ii.	papers required for filing date under CFR § 1.53(b):  34 Pages of specification (including claims and abstract);  Sheets of drawings.  formal x informal				
3.	Dec	laration or oath				
	a.	<u>x</u> Unsigned				
AC	сом	PANYING APPLICATION PARTS				
4.	An assignment of the invention to Sony Corporation is attached (including Form PTO-1595).					
	i.	37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)				
5.	<u>x</u>	Power of Attorney (unsigned)				
6.	_	An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed, including a PTO-1449 and copies of references.				
7.	<u>x</u>	Preliminary Amendment.				
8.	<u>x</u>	Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503 should be specifically itemized)				
9.		Other				
10.		REIGN PRIORITY Priority of application no. P11-092662 filed on March 31, 1999 in Japan is claimed under 35 USC 119.				

The certified copy of the priority application:

has been filed in prior application no. \_ filed on \_, or

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will be provided.



### 11. FEE CALCULATION

a. \_\_ Amendment changing number of claims or deleting multiple dependencies is enclosed.

### **CLAIMS AS FILED**

	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$690)
Total Claims	16 - 20	* 0	x \$18.00	О
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1	2.	Small	Entity	Status
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- a. \_\_ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- b. A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. \_\_ is no longer claimed.
- 13. Other Fees

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#### 14. Payment of Fees

- x Check(s) in the amount of \$ 690.00 enclosed.
- Charge Account No. 12-1420 in the amount of \$\_\_\_
- A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.
- 15. All correspondence regarding this application should be forwarded to the undersigned attorney:

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## 16. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Account No. 12-1420. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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